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FOR EAGLEBURGER

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: SECURITY

1. SECRETARY WAS TOLD BY "BRITISH" PRESS THAT THERE ARE SOME WHO ARE ALREADY WORKING AGAINST THE PROTECTION LEGISLATION. IN ADDITION, FOLLOWING APPEARED IN "LONDON TIMES" OF DECEMBER 9 AS PART OF AN ARTICLE BY PATRICK BROGAN (DATE-LINE WASHINGTON) ON WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A LAME DUCK; "THE DISAPPEARANCE OF THE PRESIDENT."

2. "...THE AMERICAN PRESS VARIED BETWEEN ADULATING DR. KISSINGER AND BLAMING HIM FOR ALL THE FAILURES AND EVILS OF THE MODERN WORLD. NOW ALL THAT WILL CHANGE. HE HAS ASKED FOR BODYGUARDS AFTER HE LEAVES OFFICE, ASSUMING THAT FANATICS AND MADMEN WILL WANT TO ATTACK HIM AS HE WALKS HIS WIFE'S DOG OF AN EVENING. THE PRESS, UNKIND AGAIN, HAS LOST NO TIME IN POINTING OUT THAT OVERWEIGHT GERMANIC PROFESSORS ARE IN NO DANGER AT ALL IN GEORGETOWN. WHEN THE DEMOCRATS LEFT OFFICE IN 1969, MR. DEAN RUSK GOT BY UNPROTECTED EVEN THOUGH HE HAD PROVOKED REAL HATREDS (NOW DISSIPATED) OVER VIETNAM...."

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3. SECRETARY FEELS IT IS PRETTY OBVIOUS THAT SOMEBODY

IS LEADING THIS STUFF AND WONDERS IF YOU KNOW WHERE IT
IS COMING FROM. KISSINGER

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